Dear Sirs,

Please consider the harmful effects to the HF spectrum if BPL is allowed wide spread use.

We need technology to go forward but not at the expense of our homeland security. The amateur radio operators did not get the 130kz band because of the problems it might cause to electric companies. If allowed BPL will cause similar problems in our HF bands. Japan and Germany have not allowed BPL for interference reasons and they are two of the most technological countries in the world. Look at amateur radio's contributions in the past to our country. We still serve as an important source of communication aid during disastors (911, Huricane Andrew, Oklahoma bombing) just a few examples. Keep us in mind and the harmful consequences if BPL is allowed wide usage. Thanks for your time,

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